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In re Application of
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SECOND AMENDMENT - AFTER FINAL

This amendment responds to the final Office Action mailed October 1, 2004.
Applicant requests the Examiner to amend the claims as set forth below in order to
simplify issues for appeal, and applicant asks the Examiner to notify applicant before
January 1, 2005 whether this amendment has been entered.